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2007 Spring Gobbler Survey – Daily Records

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Land Type Codes

1. Private
2. State Owned (State Forest, Game Dept.)
3. Federal Owned (National Forest, Military Base)

If you hunt more than one land type in one day enter the single type you hunted most.

Gobbling Intensity Codes

1. No gobbling
2. Gobbling only on roost
3. Roost, few times on ground
4. Gobbling poor
5. Gobbling fair
6. Gobbling good

***Do not report data for hunting partners**

Please enter code for most common or average weather conditions.

- | Cloud | Temperature | Precipitation | Wind |
|------------------|------------------|---------------|-----------|
| 1. Clear | 1. Hot (70° +) | 1. None | 1. None |
| 2. Partly Cloudy | 2. Mild (50-69°) | 2. Drizzle | 2. Breezy |
| 3. Overcast | 3. Cool (30-49°) | 3. Moderate | 3. Strong |
| | 4. Cold (< 30°) | 4. Downpour | |
| | | 5. Snow | |

2007 Virginia Spring Gobbler Season Survey

1. Hunter's Survey Number (please enter last 4 digits of your social security number:)
2. How many days did you scout before the 2007 spring gobbler season?
3. How many days did you hunt during the 2007 spring gobbler season?
4. Did you use a decoy during the 2007 season?
☐ 1. Yes ☐ 2. No
5. How many other hunters did you encounter (see, hear) while hunting during the 2007 season?
6. Did you have any interference from another hunter during the 2007 season? ☐ 1. Yes ☐ 2. No
- 7.. Indicate the weapon, distance, whether the gobbler(s) you shot at this spring were killed, crippled, or missed, and time.

Bird Number	Weapon	Shotgun Shot Size	Distance (yards)	Time Shot (AM or PM)	Killed(1) Crippled (2) Missed (3)
<i>Example</i>	<i>Shotgun</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>30</i>	<i>8:15AM</i>	<i>1</i>
1					
2					
3					
4					
5					

8. Did you see any illegal turkey hunting during the 2007 spring gobbler season? ☐ 1. Yes ☐ 2. No
9. If you answered yes to Question 8, what type of illegal hunting did you observe (check all that apply)?
- | | |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> 1. Hunting before season | <input type="checkbox"/> 4. Trespassing |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 2. Over the limit | <input type="checkbox"/> 5. Shooting before or after hours |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 3. Killing a hen | <input type="checkbox"/> 6. Other |

11. Did you see any free roaming dogs during the 2007 gobbler season?
☐ 1. Yes ☐ 2. No
12. Were the gobblers you shot alone (1), with hens (2), with other gobblers (3), or with both gobblers and hens (4). Please enter the bird's spur length (nearest 1/8 inch) and weight (if certified scales are available). Please record weight to the nearest ounce and whether the bird was weighed whole or dressed.

Bird Number	Date (MM/DD)	Alone (1) With Hens (2) With Gobblers (3) With both (4)	Spur Length (nearest 1/8)	Weight lb-oz. whole (w) dressed (d)
<i>Example</i>	<i>4/10</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>7/8</i>	<i>18-4 (w)</i>
1				
2				
3				

13. Did you guide or help an inexperienced hunter this year (check all that apply)?
- ☐ 1. No
- ☐ 2. Yes, hunted with junior hunter on Youth Day (4/7/07)
- ☐ 3. Yes, helped a junior hunter (under 16) in regular season
- ☐ 4. Yes, helped an adult hunter (16 or older)
14. How would you rate your 2007 spring season?
- ☐ 1. Excellent ☐ 2. Good ☐ 3. Fair
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15. Remarks or observations (please include unusual experiences, opinions on hunting season regulations, weather, ect.).

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Please include your name and address if you want a copy of the results:

Name:

Address:

City/State/Zip:

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